

PRICE THREE CENTS.

NEWSPAPER ARCHIVE

A NOTABLE GATHERING

Congress Unique in Ecclesiastical History.

IT IS HELD IN PITTSBURGH.

Methodist Educators Meet for the Purpose of Ascertaining Whether the Church is Up With the Times.

Pittsburg, Nov. 22.—Pittsburg has, perhaps, never been the scene of a more notable religious gathering than the Methodist Episcopal church congress which has begun a six days' session at Christ church in conception, purpose and treatment it is unique in ecclesiastical history.

The call for the congress, which was signed by Bishops Vincent, Minde and Fitzgerald and many prominent Methodist educators, says:

The congress does not propose to invite or discuss destructive criticism of existing institutions, but simply to bring out from persons representing different phases of intellectual activity a frank expression as to whether the church can meet any more fully than it does the demands of our times; and, if so, wherein its activities may be modified or directed to advantage. It will not concern itself with questions of church policy, but with issues bearing upon the relation of the church to the thought and life of the people as affected by the most scientific and literary teachings.

The congress will also to secure an adequate presentation of the tendencies of current scientific and literary teachings, and also suggestions as to the best service to be rendered by the church in interpreting these tendencies for the spiritual and intellectual advantage of its followers.

The list of speakers who will attend the congress includes the names of many of the brightest men in the denomination, and the topics announced for discussion are such as will doubtless prove attractive to all thinkers, without regard to their denominational affiliation.

Delegates from all parts of the country will be present during the week.

The inaugural session was auspicious, and evidenced the popular favor with which the movement has been received.

Bank Robber Disappears.

Kansas City, Nov. 22.—William Lockridge, whose sentence on five years in the penitentiary for robbing the bank of Savannah, Mo., two years ago was recently confirmed by the state supreme court, has disappeared. Lockridge was out on a \$3,000 bond pending action of the supreme court on his appeal. Lockridge, Paddy McGraw, "Dutch" Webber and "Red" O'Brien robbed the Savannah bank two years ago, securing about \$450 in money and \$14,000 worth of bonds.

Fever in the Fort.

Pensacola, Fla., Nov. 22.—Another case of yellow fever has developed in the hospital at Fort Barrancas. The patient is Michael J. Wright, a private in the first artillery, and it is supposed he contracted the disease from the soldier, Krieg, who died in the hospital Thursday. The soldiers of the garrison have all been moved out of the barracks into a camp a mile away.

Well Done For John.

Santa Cruz, Cal., Nov. 22.—In 1894 John H. Johnson left Boulder Creek for Alaska. He obtained employment as a laborer, working faithfully for two years and earning enough to purchase an outfit, with which he started for Circle City. He is now in Dawson City and is known as the "Bonanza King." He is a millionaire.

Wants a Change of Venue.

Chicago, Nov. 22.—The Luettgen case was called for a second trial at 10 a. m. in Judge Horton's court. The state announced its readiness to go on with the trial at once, but Attorney Phalen, for the defense, asked for a change of venue. Mr. Phalen is still examining the long record in the case and desires more time to prepare for the trial.

Fought a Draw.

Bayou LaCombe, La., Nov. 22.—A desperate fight between Arthur and Edward Jolie on one side and Laurence and Edward Cousin on the other resulted in the killing of all the parties concerned. Shotguns and pistols were the weapons used. The cause of the difficulty is attributed to an old family feud.

Murdered in His Shop.

Ligonier, Ind., Nov. 22.—John Murray came here recently from Buffalo and set up a shoe repairing shop in which he roomed. Sunday morning he was found dead in his shop with a bullet wound in the head. All the furniture was upset, and there was blood on the wall. It is a case of murder.

Guarded by Armed Men.

Wilmington, Del., Nov. 22.—There was much excitement here when it became known that 15 fully armed government deputies are guarding the steamer Laurada. A rumor was abroad that a body of men intended to seize the vessel, presumably for the purpose of another Cuban expedition.

Burned in Their Home.

Tonawanda, Nov. 22.—Mrs. M. A. Trigg, 52, and her 19-year-old daughter, Ethel, lost their lives in a fire that destroyed their residence. A son escaped with a broken leg by jumping from a second story window. Mrs. Trigg had escaped, but returned to save the daughter.

Farmers Fight a Duel.

Goshen, O., Nov. 22.—William Horan shot and fatally wounded Allen Gruffy in a street quarrel. He says Gruffy threatened to kill him and was out hunting for him when they met. Both are farmers and Gruffy was wealthy.

Rich Red

Blood is absolutely essential to health. It is secured easily and naturally by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, but is impossible to get it from so-called "nervous tonics," and epinephrine compounds, absurdly advertised as "blood purifiers." They have temporary, stinging effect, but do not CURE. To have pure

Blood

And good health, take Hood's Sarsaparilla, which has first, last, and all the time, been advertised as just what it is—the best medicine for the blood ever produced. Its success in curing Eczema, Salt Rheum, Rheumatism, Catarrh, Dyspepsia, Nervous Prostration and That Tired Feeling, have made

Hood's Sarsaparilla

The One True Blood Purifier. All druggists. \$1.

Hood's Pills are purely vegetable, and have no harmful and beneficial effects.

CITIES OF THE FUTURE.

Memorable Picture Is Drawn by Rev. Samuel G. Smith of Minnesota University.

Three thousand persons testified their interest in municipal reform by attending the opening session in Battle Creek, Mich., recently of the interstate civic philanthropic conference. The feature of the session was the address delivered by Rev. Samuel G. Smith, D. D., president of the conference and professor of sociology in the University of Minnesota, in which he outlined the work to be done by the delegates and painted a possible picture of the city of the future.

After touching on the needs of municipal government Dr. Smith considered: "The problems we are considering are human problems. They are capable of solution, and they will be solved. Sometimes I see the city of the future in my dreams. The center of the city is given up to business, and in it there is no residence population. The downtown church is a thing of the past, for there is no down town population at all. Cheap and rapid transit multiplies the area of the city and makes flowers and trees, fresh air and the blue sky possible to every man, woman and child.

"The new man, physically reorganized, will no longer be consumed by passion for narcotics or strong drinks. The saloon will have lost its political power because of the physical and moral regeneration of man rather than as the result of merely repressive legislation.

"Education for life and for occupation will be basic, but upon it will be built the sweet cultures of art, music, literature and whatever idealizes life and makes it beautiful. Free art galleries, free music, free libraries, free schools, free churches, will make all the people citizens of the new republic, of the intellect, the heart and the imagination.

"Service for man will become a noble and universal ambition and public office one of the widest theaters for its manifestation. The new man will have his productive power enormously increased. He will be too intelligent to be robbed and too high minded to steal.

"In the opulence of that fair city John's golden streeted dream will no longer be oriental fancy, but, secure and beautiful, will descend out of heaven and rest upon the sod of earth."—Chicago Times-Herald.

When a Manchester (England) timber merchant was saving a sycamore into lengths, he came across a dark knot in the wood 1 1/2 inches in diameter. When this was cut through, it displayed the clearly marked outline of a bird, which the merchant deemed curious enough to have photographed and sent to The Strand Magazine.

Seemed to Be on Fire.

"I suffered very much with a blood disorder. At times my skin seemed to be on fire. I saw Hood's Sarsaparilla advertised and determined to try it. I found that it purified my blood and relieved that tired feeling. I have given it to my little girl for pain in the side and it relieved her." DELIA O. UMBRELL, Nankin, Ohio.

Hood's Pills are purely vegetable, reliable and beneficial. All druggists. Price 25c.

Ground for Anger.

"Why did the swan get so angry at that saucy drake?" "The impertinent bird called her 'Rabberneck'."—Puck

'Tis Midnight!

Hark! All through the house rings the awful sound, once heard never forgotten, the sound of a child's croup cough. There is no time to lose. Croup is a monster that will not be trifled with. This is the time that if you have neglected to provide yourself with a bottle of Dr. Hand's Cough and Croup Medicine you fully realize how careless and neglectful you have been. It is worth its weight in gold at that critical moment. And yet it costs only 25c a bottle at any drug store.

PLEURISY QUICKLY CURED.

I have suffered the most excruciating pains in the side. The doctor said it was Pleurisy. The Brazilian Balm gave me almost instant relief when everything else failed, and permanently cured me. I took it and had some warm water rubbed on strong.

Mrs. ELIZABETH PARCER, Marcus Hook, Pa.

Saves Doctor's Bills.

Families in the country should always keep Brazilian Balm on hand. It is the doctor in the house, always ready and reliable. For colds, coughs, croup, catarrh, asthma, pleurisy, rheumatism, contusions, female troubles, and all kinds of fevers it acts like magic, and saves many a doctor's bill and many a long sickness.

HEART DISEASE.

Some Facts Regarding the Rapid Increase of Heart Troubles.

Do Not Be Alarmed, but Look for the Cause.

Heart troubles, at least among Americans, are certainly increasing, and while this may be largely due to the excitement and worry of American business life, it is more often the result of weak stomachs—of poor digestion.

Real, organic heart disease is incurable; but not one case in a hundred of heart trouble is organic.

The close relation between heart trouble and poor digestion is because both organs are controlled by branches of the same great nerves, the Sympathetic and Pneumogastric. In another way, also, the heart is affected by that form of poor digestion which causes gas and fermentation from half-digested food; there is a feeling of oppression and heaviness in the chest caused by the pressure of the distended stomach on the heart and lungs, interfering with their action; hence arises palpitation and short breath.

Poor digestion also poisons the blood, makes it thin and watery, which irritates and weakens the heart.

HEART DISEASE.

Some Facts Regarding the Rapid Increase of Heart Troubles.

Do Not Be Alarmed, but Look for the Cause.

Heart troubles, at least among Americans, are certainly increasing, and while this may be largely due to the excitement and worry of American business life, it is more often the result of weak stomachs—of poor digestion.

Real, organic heart disease is incurable; but not one case in a hundred of heart trouble is organic.

The close relation between heart trouble and poor digestion is because both organs are controlled by branches of the same great nerves, the Sympathetic and Pneumogastric. In another way, also, the heart is affected by that form of poor digestion which causes gas and fermentation from half-digested food; there is a feeling of oppression and heaviness in the chest caused by the pressure of the distended stomach on the heart and lungs, interfering with their action; hence arises palpitation and short breath.

Poor digestion also poisons the blood, makes it thin and watery, which irritates and weakens the heart.

The most sensible treatment for heart troubles is to improve the digestion and to insure the prompt assimilation of food.

This can best be done by the regular use after meals of some safe, pleasant and effective digestive preparation, like Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, which may be found in most drug stores and which contain valuable, harmless digestive elements, in a pleasant, convenient form.

It is safe to say that the regular, persistent use of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets at meal time will cure any form of stomach trouble except cancer of stomach.

Full sized packages of the tablets sold by druggists at 50 cents. Little book on stomach troubles mailed free. Address Stuart Co., Marshall, Mich.

The Pace That Kills.

"And you say you like living in the country? How do you get to the station in the morning? Are you far away?" "Oh, no! We're one mile, and seven-tenths of a mile, and two and a quarter miles, and a mile and a half."

"Heavens, man, how do you make that out?" "Four of us have measured the distance with our cyclometers."—Puck

Loved the Bottle Before He Had Teeth.

At No. 83 Warwick Ave., Zanesville, O., lives Mrs. B. H. Mills, who relates the following experience: "I have used Dr. Hand's Teething Lotion and find it all that it claims to be. Our little boy out his teeth so hard that he almost had spasms. Bathing his gums with the Lotion would relieve him immediately. He knew the bottle better than all others and would cry for it. I advise every mother who has teething children to use Dr. Hand's Teething Lotion." At all druggists, 25c.

Not in the Treatment.

Visitor (at lunatic asylum): I see you give your patients amateur photographs out to amuse them. Superintendent: No; they bring them with them.—New York Weekly.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The best medicine for infants and children.

He Was Accepted.

Matilda: Have you spoken to papa? Bertie: Yes; I asked him through the telephone, and he answered: "I don't know who you are, but it's all right."—Puck.

A Queer (?) Medicine

There is a Medicine whose proprietors do not claim to have discovered some hitherto unknown ingredients or that it is a cure-all. This honest Medicine only claims to cure certain diseases, and that its ingredients are recognized by the most skilled physicians as being the best for Kidney and Bladder Diseases. It is Foley's Kidney Cure. H. F. Vorkamp, n. e. cor. Main and North streets.

There are more than 100,000 children in the national schools of Germany who stutter.

You Can't Afford to Chance It.

A heavy cold may lead to pneumonia or consumption. Foley's Honey and Tar taken in time affords perfect security from serious results. H. F. Vorkamp, n. e. cor. Main and North streets.

Saves Doctor's Bills.

Families in the country should always keep Brazilian Balm on hand. It is the doctor in the house, always ready and reliable. For colds, coughs, croup, catarrh, asthma, pleurisy, rheumatism, contusions, female troubles, and all kinds of fevers it acts like magic, and saves many a doctor's bill and many a long sickness.

ATTEMPTED OUTRAGE.

Aged Lady Seized When She Stopped Outside Her Door.

Urbana, O., Nov. 22.—This city was thrown into feverish excitement by the report of another attempted assault. The victim is Miss Emma Groves, an elderly maiden lady, who lives with her sister on West Ward street.

About 6 o'clock in the evening Miss Groves stepped out of the back door of her home and was instantly seized by a man, who threw his arm around her neck and held her firmly. Miss Groves was badly treated and painfully injured.

The attempted assault was committed at about the same hour and in the same manner as that perpetrated on Miss Carey on Friday evening, and it is believed, by the same party.

If the culprit is caught he will be lynched in short order.

ATTEMPTED OUTRAGE.

Aged Lady Seized When She Stopped Outside Her Door.

Urbana, O., Nov. 22.—This city was thrown into feverish excitement by the report of another attempted assault. The victim is Miss Emma Groves, an elderly maiden lady, who lives with her sister on West Ward street.

About 6 o'clock in the evening Miss Groves stepped out of the back door of her home and was instantly seized by a man, who threw his arm around her neck and held her firmly. Miss Groves was badly treated and painfully injured.

The attempted assault was committed at about the same hour and in the same manner as that perpetrated on Miss Carey on Friday evening, and it is believed, by the same party.

If the culprit is caught he will be lynched in short order.

Large Deal Closed.

Cleveland, Nov. 22.—Eastern capitalists, including ex-Governor Flower, J. W. Hinkley, Anthony N. Brady and Perry Belmont of New York, purchased the entire property of the Walker Electric company, including all the stock and bonds. The company was originally engaged in building and equipping cable railways and manufacturing other mammoth machinery. For the last year or more the company has been building large types of electric railway and lighting apparatus.

Crazy Sailor Runs Amuck.

Boston, Nov. 22.—Mannuel Gononario, a Portuguese sailor of the fishing schooner Two Forty of Gloucester, went crazy during the night and ran amuck with a sharp knife, attacking four shipmates and badly wounding them while they were lying in their bunks. Gononario was afterwards found dead on the floor of the cabin, his throat cut and his bloody knife in his hand.

No Tidings From Andrea.

Tromsø, Tromsø Island, Norway, Nov. 22.—The steamer Victoria, which was fitted out by the governor of Tromsø, under instructions from King Oscar, to search for Professor Andrea, the missing aeronaut and his party, and which left here on Nov. 5, has returned from Spitzbergen. She brings no news as to the whereabouts or movements of Professor Andrea.

Thorn Will Testify.

New York, Nov. 22.—Martin Thorn was placed on trial for the second time for the murder of Goldensuppe. Thorn and Mrs. Nack will both appear on the stand. Thorn will declare his part in the murder was merely to aid Mrs. Nack in disposing of the ghastly remains and protecting her by silence, claiming that the woman did the murder.

Threatened With Death.

Houghton, Mich., Nov. 22.—There is every prospect of serious trouble at the Atlantic mine. Superintendent Stanton will not accede to any demands made by the strikers. Italians are on the ground to take the place of the strikers, but the Finns have warned the Italians that they will be killed if they attempt to enter the mine.

Gone Into Commission.

Philadelphia, Nov. 22.—Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Lizzie McNichol, the well known contralto, now in this city with the Castle Square Opera company, to Charles Lewis Reitz of Baltimore. Mr. Reitz is a commission merchant. His bride will remain on the stage.

Becoming Alarmed.

Vienna, Nov. 22.—Count Gulochowski, the Austro-Hungarian minister of foreign affairs, when making an appeal to all Europe, in his annual address before the Austrian and Hungarian delegations, said all Europe must close ranks in order to defend their existence.

The Floor Gave Way.

Cleveland, Nov. 22.—By the collapsing of the floor of Cory Methodist chapel, on Central avenue, 500 colored worshippers were precipitated to the ground, a distance of seven feet. A panic ensued, but only three persons were hurt, and they not seriously.

Life Saved Out.

Nantucket, Mass., Nov. 22.—Mrs. Elizabeth J. McMullen, wife of General W. L. McMullen of Louisiana, died here of heart failure. General and Mrs. McMullen arrived last Monday, intending to spend a portion of the winter here.

An Italian Stabbed.

New York, Nov. 22.—Lorenzo Gallitelli, an Italian street sweeper, was stabbed to death by a fellow-country man named Dominico Cesare during an altercation in the hallway of a tenement house, the outcome of a grudge.

Burned to a Cisp.

Bethany, Mo., Nov. 22.—James Barker and Elmer Fruit, young men of prominent local families, were burned to a crisp in a fire that destroyed Blackburn Brothers' livery barn. The fire started from a lantern by which the victims were playing cards.

Department Store Falls.

Elmira, N. Y., Nov. 22.—The Hyland & Brown department store has given chattel mortgages amounting to \$65,000 to creditors. The assets and liabilities are each \$150,000.

Going to Cuba.

New York, Nov. 22.—Marquis Apertegui, leader of the Conservative party in Cuba, arrived here on the French liner La Champagne, from Havre, on his way to Cuba.

The Doctor Submitted.

Madrid, Nov. 22.—The royal decree for the establishment of autopsies in Cuba has been submitted to a special council.

1 1/2 THE Time Cost

SAVED BY

GOLD DUST

WASHING POWDER

What More Can be Asked?

Only this: ask your grocer for it, and insist on trying it. Largest package—greatest economy.

THE N. K. FAIRBANK COMPANY,

Chicago, St. Louis, New York, Boston, Philadelphia.

Umbrella Law.

"As I have already remarked," said the short man, "the umbrella is mine."

"But I have just told you," said the tall man, "that I'm the party from whom you borrowed it."

"Yes," returned the short man, "and I've no doubt the man from whom you borrowed it could testify to the same effect."

The tall man was silent.

The short man laughed.

"Possession is still nine points of the parabola," he merrily observed.

—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

IT Hits the Spot.

When suffering from a severe cold and your throat and lungs feel sore, take a dose of FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR, when the soreness will be at once relieved, a warm grateful feeling and healing of the parts affected will be experienced and you will say: "It feels so good, IT HITS THE SPOT." It is guaranteed. H. F. Vorkamp, northeast corner Main and North streets.

Excursions via O., H. & D.

R. R. Co.

Excursions via the P., Ft. W. & C. R. R.

Ask Them, If You Want Information About Home-Seekers' Excursions.

Ticket agents of the Pennsylvania Lines will furnish information regarding Home-Seekers' Excursions to various points in the United States, Canada and Europe. It will pay to investigate if you contemplate a trip. Apply to nearest Pennsylvania Line ticket agent, or address O. L. Kimball, assistant general passenger agent, Cleveland, Ohio.

Legal Notice.

Frank M. Lockhead, Plaintiff, vs. Saddle Logan, Defendant. Ohio. Saddle Logan, whose place of residence is in the city of Huntington, Huntington county, Indiana, will take notice that on the 17th day of October, 1897, Frank M. Lockhead filed in the Court of Common Pleas of Allen county, Ohio, case No. 1184, his affidavit in attachment for amount claimed, to wit: five dollars and fifty-four cents (\$5.84) with interest from the 25th day of July, 1895, on an account for groceries sold and delivered, and for a attachment against said defendant, in the sum of one hundred and twenty-five (\$125.00) Beesie's addition to the city of Lima, and for the sale of attached property.

Said Saddle Logan is required to answer on or before the 6th day of November, 1897, or a decree will be taken against her.

By Matter & Mackenzie his attorneys.

Legal Notice.

Carley Collins, Maggie Moore and Harry Collins, residing in Lewisville, State of Indiana, will take notice that Clarence H. Folson, administrator of the estate of Nancy J. Collins, deceased, on the 5th day of October, 1897, filed his petition in the Probate Court of Allen county, Ohio, alleging that the personal estate of said deceased is not sufficient to pay her debts, and that she died seized in fee simple of the following described real estate situated in said county to-wit: Th 3 1/2 x 26 1/2 ft of the w. side of lot 604, McKibben's addition to Lima, Ohio. The prayer of said petition for the sale of said real estate for the payment of debts. The above named parties are parties to said suit, and are required to answer on or before the 27th day of November, 1897.

CLARENCE H. FOLSON,

Administrator of estate Nancy J. Collins, deceased.

Matter & Mackenzie, Attorneys.

Legal Notice.

Nellie O. Douce, whose place of residence is unknown, will take notice that on the 15th day of October, A. D. 1897, James L. Douce filed his petition in the Court of Common Pleas of Allen county, Ohio, being case No. 1017, praying a divorce from said Nellie O. Douce on the ground of gross neglect of duty and fraud, and that said cause will be for hearing on or after November 26th, 1897.

By Copeland & R. G. G. Attorneys.

Lima, O., Oct. 15, 1897.

Notice of Appointment.

Estate of John Rodgers Ashton, deceased. The undersigned have been appointed and qualified as administrators, with the will annexed of the estate of John Rodgers Ashton, deceased, Allen county, Ohio, deceased, dated this 15th day of November, A. D. 1897.

FRANCIS ASHTON AND B. L. ARNOLD

11-16-97



What More Can be Asked?

Only this: ask your grocer for it, and insist on trying it. Largest package—greatest economy.

THE N. K. FAIRBANK COMPANY,

Chicago, St. Louis, New York, Boston, Philadelphia.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Case No. 11,451.

The National Supply Company, Plaintiff, vs. Robbins, Philiber & Co., Defendants.

By virtue of an execution, issued from the Court of Common Pleas of Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale on the E. D. Hooker farm, one mile north of Spencerville, Allen county, Ohio, the following described property, situated on the E. D. Hooker farm near Spencerville, Allen county, State of Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit:

One (1) oil lease on E. D. Hooker farm of 40 acres, 30 acres of the lease having expired.

One (1) creek and stream, including casing, tubing, rods, etc.

One (1) Anderson engine.

One (1) 80 feet 3 inch rubber belt.

One (1) 80 feet 3 inch rubber belt.

The Lima Times-Democrat

THE TIMES-DEMOCRAT PUBLISHED BY THE LIMA TIMES-DEMOCRAT CO.

LARGEST CIRCULATION IN LIMA

Message Prepared Anywhere in United States

OFFICE—TIMES BUILDING,
No. 121 North Main Street, Lima, O.
TELEPHONE CALL, No. 24

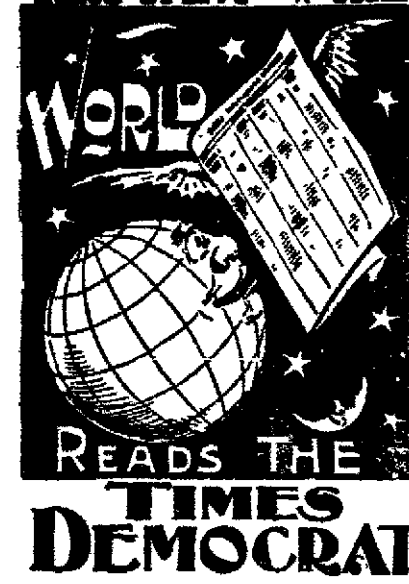
One copy one year, in advance, \$2.00
Six months, in advance, \$1.25
By carrier, per week, .10 cents
Subscription collections made weekly. Our
collectors will call and take your money. The
only subscription to be made with him. All
other subscriptions must be paid promptly.

THE TIMES-DEMOCRAT has the largest circulation of any daily newspaper in northwestern Ohio, outside the larger cities. It reaches into every portion of Lima and goes into every household in that city. The LIMA TIMES-DEMOCRAT is recognized as the people's paper, and as such is the most popular newspaper in the city. It is read by every one in Lima, and its rapidly increasing circulation is a testimony to its popularity over all competitors.

THE TIMES-DEMOCRAT—The Semi-Weekly edition issued by the Times-Democrat Co., is without parallel in point of circulation. It contains all columns of choice literary, editorial, news and advertising matter of great interest to every one in the city. The smallest newspaper is published for the small man.

SEND DOLLAR PER YEAR IN ADVANCE.
All foreign subscriptions must be paid in advance.
Subscriptions not paid in advance will be canceled for lack of funds.
Address all communications to:
TIMES-DEMOCRAT PUBL. CO.,
LIMA, OHIO.

THIS PART OF THE



UNION LABEL

President McKinley, when called upon by Messrs. Gumpers and Morrison, who, representing the Federation of Labor, requested that his coming message contain some recommendations for the better protection of labor, intimated that his message would be so occupied with other matters as to preclude devoting much space to labor. There is no election near at hand now and the president can obey labor crusher Hanna's command to ignore labor without any fear of immediate retaliation.

HORSE THIEVES.

(Continued from Eighth Page.)

were found yesterday afternoon and have been identified by the owners. A man named Shaffer saw a lot of carpenter tools in the weeds along the Wapakoneta road south of the city yesterday afternoon and reported his discovery to patrolman Smalley, who is doing duty on the southside, and he visited the place, found the stolen articles and took them to the police station, where they were identified by O. W. Dyson, to whom all of the tools except a breast drill belongs, which latter article belongs to James Whistler.

It is thought that the thief who had possession of the tools that were found yesterday became frightened because the police were so close upon his track and placed the tools in the weeds to prevent them being found in his possession. It is supposed that the car works robbery was committed by a gang of thieves, for more than half the tools that were stolen are still missing. It is hoped that some more of the gang will become frightened.

AT THE STATION.

Lon James and Ed Heckathorn were locked up for drunkenness. Joseph McCormick, a stranger, was picked up by patrolman Burns, last midnight, for vagrancy.

Notice to the Public

There are over 300 cook and heating stoves, first-class, new, and second hand, to be closed out regardless of cost. We are determined to sell them out between this and the first of January. If you wish to save money don't forget.

J. B. JACKMAN & SONS,
320 North Tanner Street,
Lima, O.

After December 1st

E. Gale will occupy the store south of Burnett House formerly occupied by J. W. Rowlands. m w s 12 15

CLAIMED BY DEATH.

Dropsey Caused the Death of Mrs. James Coffey This Morning

Funeral will be Held From St. Rose Church Wednesday

Mrs. Bridget, wife of James Coffey, at her late home, 116 east Murphy street, passed away at 2 o'clock this morning, aged 41 years. She was taken ill last May, the disease which proved fatal being dropsey. During her long illness Mrs. Coffey had the best of attention, but nothing could stay the development of the dread disease until death relieved her sufferings.

The deceased's maiden name was Bridget Heffner, and she was united in marriage with Mr. Coffey at Perysburg, O., twenty-three years ago, and soon after their marriage they located in Lima, remaining residents of this city until death. She leaves to mourn her demise, besides a devoted husband, one son and two daughters. The children are Will, Abbie and Alice, the eldest being eighteen years of age. Two children preceded her to the grave. During life Mrs. Coffey was a devout member of the Catholic Church.

The funeral will take place from St. Rose Church Wednesday morning at 8:30 o'clock. Interment will be made at Gethsemani.

Have a Cigar.

H. E. Shutt, the north Main street wholesale and retail meat merchant, is receiving the congratulations of his many friends to day, on account of the advent yesterday of a new girl baby at his home, 624 north Main street. Hogs advanced a cent this morning on account of the addition to the family.—Mr. Shutt's, not the porker's.

Hedley:

"Sunny Side of Life," Nov. 30th.

The Ladies' Auxiliary

Of the B. of E. T., will give a grand masquerade ball Thanksgiving eve, November 24th, 1897, in Klause hall corner Main and Wayne streets. Good music will be in attendance and a cordial invitation is extended to the public to attend. Admission, gent's, 50c.; ladies, 25c. Tickets on sale at Melville's and Beckley's drug stores. 1-3t

A Fascinating Speaker

An evening of pleasure. Y. M. C. A. Star Course.

OUR MEN'S

\$3.00 SHOES

Contain more merit and value than ever before found in a Shoe at or near this price. Workmanship equal to any Shoe made. Style the newest the market affords. Comfort all that can be obtained. The service they render will justify you buying the second pair. They are the productions of the best manufacturers in this country, and we challenge comparison with any Shoe offered anywhere. We are showing the best Shoe ever produced for \$3.00. See them at

GOODING'S,

230 NORTH MAIN STREET.

Dr. John Clark Ridpath,

the greatest living historian, will deliver his famous lecture, "The Suppression of the Intellectual Life," at Faurst opera house, Friday evening, Nov. 26th, under the direction of the Northwestern Ohio Teachers' Association. Plat was opened to people of Lima this morning at Melville's General admission, 35c; boxes, 50c; including reserved seat.

Vanderbrook's

Cigar Factory has removed to 322 north Main street. 2t

The Best Whiskey

for medicinal purposes and family use for sale by D. F. McCarthy, corner Pearl and Jackson streets. m w f 11 17 1m

Y M C A Briefs

Rev. L. M. Albright delivered an excellent address yesterday at the Thanksgiving service. Dr. James Hedley will give the famous lecture, "The Sunny Side of Life," in the Y. M. C. A. course Tuesday week, Nov. 30.

The association will throw the building open to the members of the Teachers' association this week.

Northwestern Ohio Teachers' Ass'n. Lima, Ohio, November 26th and 27th

For the above occasion, agents of the C. H. & D. By, north of Troy and Ludlow Falls will make a rate of one and one third fare for the round trip. Tickets will be sold November 25th and 26th, good returning until November 28th, inclusive. 2 4t

Notice to Hunters

We, the undersigned, will not allow any hunting on our farms. Any person found hunting may be prosecuted for trespassing. G. S. Byerly, David Byerly, Joseph Wolf, Peter Neubrecht, Jacob Ledy, Frank Roberts, Z. B. Mason, Jacob Roederer, G. F. Getz, J. F. Weaver, Jesse S. Byerly, John B. Driver, Jesse Miller, Elizabeth Hardang, S. H. Vore, N. McDorman, Jacob R. Miller, Peter Snyder, John E. Elliot, B. S. Driver, Henry Mack, G. W. Miller, Nathan Vore, John Fetter, Milo Roberts, John Slusser, C. E. Mason, Ad. Cloore, S. Roederer. 2 1w 8 4t

Thousand and One

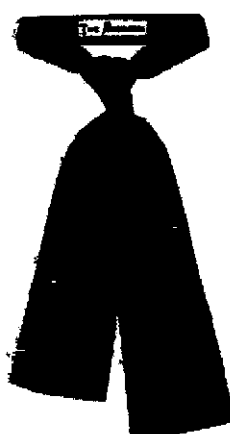
Beautiful things for Christmas presents at the Lima Tea Co. The prices are within the reach of all. 2 4t

OH, LET US ALL GIVE THANKS!

Many years have elapsed since that dreary November day, when, on that wild and desolate New England coast, a starving band of pioneers waited and watched for the sight of the ship that was bringing them supplies from their former homes. The thanks they offered were hearty and heart-felt, and ever since the people of the United States have set apart a day for Thanksgiving. It has become a National Holiday and is now universally observed.

THE CELEBRATION OF THANKSGIVING DAY

Is never neglected by the citizens of Lima. Few, indeed, are those who fail to observe in some manner the anniversary of the time when relief reached the starving residents of New England. Fewer still are those who do not wish to appear in new apparel on that occasion. This brings us to the point.



THE MAMMOTH STORE

Is Headquarters for Everything That Men Wear.

We have an immense variety of everything novel and natty. Do you want

Swell Neckwear?

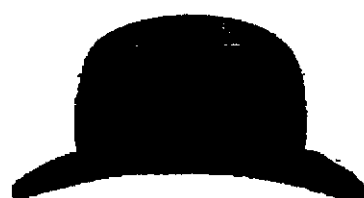
Our assortment of scarfs in Ascots, Puffs and Ties cannot be equalled in any store in the city of Lima. You should visit our Haberdashery department. Something out of the ordinary is shown there all the time and if you care for the individuality good dressers are looking for in Furnishings, you will find it here.



Foot Gloves.

Is what an eccentric man named his hose. Whatever you name them they're here and in every decent quality and guaranteeable color. We are ambitious to furnish you

Foot Glove Comfort.



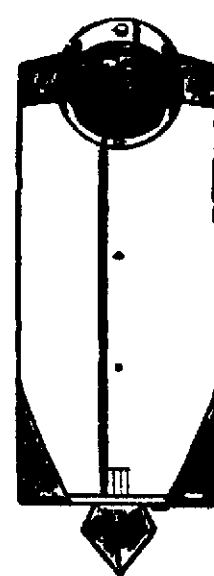
The Hat Department.

Has all the fashionable and high priced haters' shapes of identical quality, minus their outrageous profits, with the only difference that OURS is the name in the tip.

Nearest Your Heart

Is Your Underwear.

Hardly a dozen men of our acquaintance purchase the same style, color or weight. Some like wool, some silk, and others won't wear anything but cotton. We can supply all demands. Our Underwear stock this season will please more men than have ever before been thoroughly satisfied. Sizes include "extra longs" and "extra shorts." Qualities, textures and colorings of all desirable sorts, and prices no higher than last year, despite the increase in cost of raw material.



The Furnishing Department.

Also contains a bewilderingly beautiful stock of

COLORED SHIRTS,
WHITE DRESS
SHIRTS, GLOVES,

Of the popular Dent, Adler and Perrin makes, Jewelry, and in fact all the novel accessories to men's wardrobes.



Public Opinion

Has put the stamp of approval upon our splendid autumn exhibit of Clothing. We carry the celebrated Stein Boek make of Clothing and can fit you in a Suit and Overcoat at half the price asked by a custom tailor. Clothing bearing this label bears the guarantee of the highest attainable excellence in clothes-making. We do not hesitate to tell you that these clothes contain the highest amount of intrinsic value at any price named.

THE MAMMOTH STORE.

UNION BASKET BALL.

t of the Teams and the Complete Schedule.

Commons to-morrow at the Y. C. A.—An interesting Opening game Anticipated.

Captain, F. Wallace; H. Foltz, O. Co., A. McEllan, G. Shutt.
Captain, F. Mitchell; H. Nishwitz, Williams, H. Holmes, E. Walker.
Captain, J. Overly; J. McNairy, D. reb, R. Wood, P. Hall.

Captain, G. Beeman, S. Bowers, H. Kenzie, Don Campbell, W. Thom.

Captain, K. Watt, G. Crippen, J. de, F. Garretson, Detsel.

Captain, P. Basinger, A. Mac-nice, D. Mullin, F. Baxter, M. la.

Capt. J. White, Ed Curtis, W. t, R. Hoyer, O. Andrews.

Capt. P. Ewing, W. Baldwin, J. erton, J. Fangle, W. McDonald.

SCHEDULE.

The schedule of games is as fol-

November 23—Wallace-Mitchell.

November 27—Overly Beeman.

December 14—The winners of the

ve games will play.

December 7—Watt Basinger.

December 11—White-Ewing.

December 18—The winners of the

two games will play.

December 21—The winners of the

sea of December 14 and December

will play a championship game.

ABOUT PEOPLE.

o They Are, Where They Have

Been and Are Going.

lf Baxter was in Columbus to-day.

mis Evans spent Sunday at

ro.

as Fletcher was in Chicago yes-

lay.

on Biggs was in Wapakoneta yes-

lay.

Frank Ashton spent Sunday in St.

rys.

an Graff spent Sunday in St.

rys.

Dr. Machas went to Ada this

raing.

saac East visited Sidney friends

terday.

..C. Reichelderfer was at St. Marys

terday.

umy Fisk visited friends at St.

rys Sunday.

fr. Haywood, of Delphos, was in

city to-day.

William Whinner went to Colum-

bus this morning.

Jim Spillacy, of St. Marys was in

city yesterday.

Attorney Reeve, of Delphos, was

the city to-day.

off Morris visited with his parents

Elida yesterday.

like Purtscher visited his brother

Detroit yesterday.

..V. Plack spent Sunday with

ada at St. Marys.

..W. Staples, of Toledo, was in

city this morning.

ohn Welch spent Sunday with

ada at Ft. Wayne.

fred Kline, of Columbus Grove,

in the city yesterday.

Miss Vina McBride, who has been

ting her sister, Mrs. Chas. Waon,

of west Market street, has returned

to Ottawa.

O. M. Thomas visited friends at

Columbus Grove yesterday.

George McCauley called on friends

at Wapakoneta yesterday.

Ed Pogue made his usual trip to

Columbus Grove yesterday.

Miss Bessie Hathaway spent Sunday

with her parents at Ottawa.

Charles Herring, of Allentown, left

for Seattle, Wash., Saturday.

Miss Tull Louth, of Delphos, is the

guest of Miss Nora Sullivan.

Daniel Bally, of Ottawa, is in the

city to-day attending court.

Wm. Haller, of Tecumseh, visited

friends in this city yesterday.

Mrs. McIntyre, of Findlay, visited

relatives in this city yesterday.

Mrs. Emma Wright was the guest

of St. Marys friends yesterday.

John Seeb, of Sidney, was the

guest of Carl Griebing yesterday.

Mrs. W. H. Merigold, of Columbus,

is the guest of friends in the city.

Postmaster Monnett, of Kenton,

was in the city yesterday evening.

"Ted" McManis, of Toledo, vis-

ited friends in this city yesterday.

E. A. Hannum, of Toledo, spent

Sunday with "Clementine" Baxter.

Mrs. McPeak, of Bluffton, was the

guest of Robert McPeak yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fisk are visiting Mr.

and Mrs. Clint Brewer at Glywood

Miss Carry Smith, of Sidney, was

the guest of Miss Mabel McComb Sun-

day.

Herman Eckhardt, who at present

is located at Dayton, spent Sunday at

home.

Mrs. John Bland and daughter,

Neills, left yesterday morning for

Newport, Ky.

Miss Ora Murphy, of Van Wert, is

visiting Miss Nora Sullivan, of west

Wayne street.

Proprietor J. M. Knodle, of the

Columbia Hotel, is visiting friends

at Bairdstown, O.

Miss Nora Hussey, of Sidney, is the

guest of Mrs. O. H. Bogardus, of 124

west Kibby street.

Jerry Orthwein, who has been vis-

iting his parents at Bucyrus, returned

to Lima yesterday.

H. N. Marx, the north Main street

merchant tailor, spent Sunday with

friends in St. Marys.

Miss Mame Freeman returned last

evening from Piqua, where she had

been visiting friends.

Miss Nettie Hollmann, of east

North street, spent Sunday with

relatives in St. Marys.

Mrs. Martha Adams, of Rome,

Kansas, is visiting her niece, Mrs.

R. W. Melly, of north West street.

S. W. Rice, who has been in this

city several days, returned to Wheel-

ing, W. Va., by way of Toledo, yes-

terday.

E. A. Morrison has resigned his

position with the Lima Machine

Works and will return to his home at

Fremont.

Fred G. Curtis, of Zanesville, ar-

rived in the city Saturday. His wife

has been here for a week visiting her

mother, Mrs. Haller.

Mr. and Mrs. George Leis, of

Spencerville, spent Sunday here, the

guests of Mr. Geo. Klein and family,

of north Jackson street.

Mrs. Eliza Kennedy and daughter,

of Mannington, Va., are the guests

of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank

Flynn, of Second street.

Miss Elmo Kosus, who has been

the guest for the month of Mr. and

Mrs. J. H. Vincent, of 831 Oak

street, left for her home in Criders

vi le last Saturday.

Mrs. G. E. Gypfers, of Sidney, is

the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Milton

Carter, of north Elizabeth street.

Miss Margaret Walsh, who has

been employed in a millinery estab-

lishment at Ashland, Ohio, yesterday

returned to her home on north Eliza-

beth street.

SHOE FUND.

Annual Contributions to be Collected

Next Wednesday.

The annual Thanksgiving collec-

tion for the shoe fund for indigent

pupils in our public schools will be

taken on Wednesday next. The

pupils will each bring a donation of

money, food or clothing. The par-

ents are earnestly requested to aid

this worthy cause. It is hoped that

the contributions will be generous,

for the demands upon us are many

and urgent.

Very resp'y,
O. C. MILLER, Supt. Schools.

For Coughs,

Colds and Lung Troubles take Rock

Candy and Pure Rye Whiskey, at the

California Wine Co. 1047

AT FREMONT

Little Son of Mr. and Mrs. James

O'Donnell Drowned.

James O'Donnell, formerly a deal-
er in lumber in this city, and who
while a resident of Lima wedded
Miss Kate Quilter, also of this city,
now residents of Fremont, mourn the
loss of their only child, a son four
years old, who was accidentally
drowned Saturday. Mrs. Thos.
O'Donnell, of west Vine street, and
Mrs. Wm. Donahue, of north Main
street, went to Fremont last night
to attend the funeral services which
were held this morning at St. Ann's
Church, Rev. C. V. Chevrans officiat-
ing. Interment was made at Fre-
mont.

Mr. and Mrs. O'Donnell are well
known in this city and the sympathy
of their many friends here go out to
them in their sad bereavement.

Household Goods and Pianos

Moved in the most careful manner
Storage of all kinds solicited by City
Storage House. Call new 'phone.

1347 E. STICKNEY, Proprietor.

Dr. Hadley

Never disappoints in his lecture. No-

vember 30th.

For Coughs,

Colds and Lung Troubles take Rock

Candy and Pure Rye Whiskey, at the

California Wine Co. 1047

Beautiful Flowers for Thanksgiving

At Mrs. E. E. Rogers', 104 W. Market.

6-76

WANTED

FOR RENT—A house of five to six
rooms, with good water. Call at Walter's
20007, 441 north Main street. 2-28

WANTED—Girl to help in kitchen. Ap-

ply at Mrs. A. A. Beyan's, 312 east

Wayne st. 2-27

WANTED—Girl for general housework.

Good wages. Apply at once, Hotel

Combridge. 2-24

MONEY—Plenty of it to loan on real es-

tate. Monthly payment plan. Ask E. WSKR.

11-11 e d-4w 4 and 49 Opera House blk

FOR RENT—Seven room house, collag-

ically located, 164 west High street.

Vacant December 1st. Rent \$12 per month.

Call at Porter & Son's Music Store, south

Main street. 1-37

FOR RENT—Seven room house, cottage;

nice location—174 west High street. Rent

\$12 per month. Vacant Dec. 1st. Call at

Porter & Son's music store south Main at 1-3

Brook, South Bend, Ind.

\$100 PER MONTH to represent us and

lack up signs. Enclose 4c. Fine

Brook, South Bend, Ind.

FOR SALE—Good driving horse, buggy and

cart and harness. Will sell cheap. Call

at 311 north Main street.

FOR RENT—For Hotel, 16 east Wayne

street. Enquire at 16 east Wayne

WANTED—To buy a five or six room house.

Call on W. B. Hurley, room 1, Col-
umbus block. 1-17

WANTED—Man in or near Lima to ac-

quire private detectives under investigation.

Experience unnecessary. Address Univ. &
Detective Agency, Indianapolis, Ind. 1-17

WANTED—CLOTHING—Highest price

paid for all kinds of goods, new and

used clothing. Money loaned on personal

property, watches, bicycles and all kinds of

personal instruments. Bargains in new and

used goods. 111 east Wayne street, Lima to
Stock. 2-17

—AT—

Van De Grift's

PHOTOGRAPH
GALLERY

You can get the latest style mount-

ings and the best work.

Photographs are always an accept-

able Christmas present to your

friends. 56½ Public Square.

R. B. HURLEY,

Real Estate, Loans,

Insurance.

Will rent your houses and collect your

rents. Office with Kable Bros. Room 1, Col-

umbus block, Lima, Ohio. S. W. Cor. Public

Square. Lima Phone 200.

11-17 e d-4w 4 and 49 Opera House blk

G. E. BLUEM

57 Public Square

G. E. BLUEM

57 Public Square



Her Majesty's Corset

Miss S. E. Conklin will be with us for one week to fit Her Majesty's Corset. Come and hear what she has to say about this great Corset. You will find her a very pleasant lady, and any information in regard to Her Majesty's will be cheerfully given.

HER MAJESTY'S CORSET

THE GREATEST HEALTH-GIVER AND BEAUTIFIER OF THE FIGURE EVER PRODUCED.

Superb, Faultless, Comfortable!

Grain-O! Try Grain-O!

Our Grains are day to show you a pack of GRAIN-O, the new food drink that is the place of coffee. The children may be without injury as we have the most perfect food in the world. It is made of grain, and the most delicate and healthful without harm. It is the best food for the sick and the weak. It is the best food for the old and the young. It is the best food for the rich and the poor. It is the best food for the healthy and the sick. It is the best food for the strong and the weak. It is the best food for the happy and the sad. It is the best food for the living and the dead. It is the best food for the world.

You Kidney Trouble,

You Bladder Trouble,

You Bright's Disease,

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

You Diabetes?

Mountains are rather older than most people imagine. As long ago as 1824 they were in use, for in that year Thomas Jefferson saw a contrivance of this sort, tried it and wrote to General Bernard Peyton of Richmond asking him to get one of them. The pen was of gold and the ink tube of silver, and, according to Jefferson's letter, the maker was a Richmond watch repairer named Cowan.

Why Not

cure that troublesome cough which you think will wear off in a little while, but which may, if let to run on, develop serious results. Carter's Cough Cure will break it up and restore the weakened tissues. Price 25 cents. For sale by Wm. M. Melville and Howard B. Hoyer.

No Objection to Football.

"I hear that your friend has had some trouble playing football." "No," was the reply; so long as he stuck to football everything was all right. It was not until a few players tried to branch out into a riot that the trouble began. — Washington Star.

Just the Thing.

Mr. Goodheart—Regarding those kittens, my dear, the president of our society says the most humane way to drown kittens is to put them in an ordinary earthen flower pot and then suddenly turn the flower pot upside down in a pail of lukewarm water.

Mrs. Goodheart—Why, yes, that is a good way. Isn't it, because you know there is a hole in the bottom of the flower pot for the poor little things to breathe through. — New York Weekly.

A KIDNEY DISEASE.

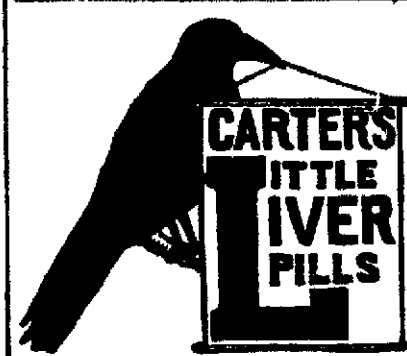
Given Up by Four Doctors.

BEAVER DAM, O., Aug. 27th, 1895. My daughter, after being treated by four doctors, and being given up for lost, a neighbor recommended Foley's Kidney Cure. To-day she is able to walk several miles without fatigue. I feel we would have lost her if it was not for your medicine.

Respectfully,
Mrs. J. M. BAILEY,
H. F. Vorkamp, n. e. cor. Main and North streets.

Humor.

"Some people," remarked the observer of men and things, "are entirely devoid of humor. There are those, actually, who never get off a good thing until they get off the earth." — Detroit Journal.



SICK HEADACHE

Positively cured by these Little Pills.

They also relieve Distress from Dyspepsia, Indigestion and Too Hearty Eating. A perfect remedy for Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsiness, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Coated Tongue, Pain in the Side, TORPID LIVER. They Regulate the Bowels. Purely Vegetable.

Small Pill. Small Dose. Small Price.

Substitution

the fraud of the day.

See you get Carter's,

Ask for Carter's,

Insist and demand

Carter's Little Liver Pills

\$100 To Any Man.

WILL PAY \$100 FOR ANY CASE

Of Weakness in Men They Treat and Fail to Cure.

An Omaha Company places for the first time before the public a MAGICAL TREATMENT for the cure of Lost Vitality, Nervous and Sexual Weakness and Restoration of Life Force in old and young men. No Worn Out French Remedy; contains no Phosphorus or other harmful drugs. It is a WONDERFUL TREATMENT—magical in its effects—positive in its cure. All readers who are suffering from a weakness that blights their life, causing that mental and physical suffering peculiar to Los Men, should write to the STATE MEDICAL COMPANY, Suite 661 Range Building, Omaha, Neb., and they will send you absolutely FREE, a valuable paper on these diseases, and positive proofs of their truly MAGICAL TREATMENT. Thousands of men, who have lost all hope of a cure, are being restored by them to a perfect condition.

This MAGICAL TREATMENT may be taken at home under their directions, or they will pay railroad fares and hotel bills to all who prefer to go there for treatment, if they fail to cure. They are perfectly reliable, have no Free Prescriptions, Free Cure; Free Sample, or C. O. D. sale. They have \$250,000 capital, and guarantee to cure every case they treat or refund every dollar; or their charges may be deposited in a bank to be paid to them when a cure is effected. Write them to-day.

GUESTS FROM WAY BACK.

Some Amusing Stories of Their Blunders in Hotels of a Big City.

The clerks at several of the hotels tell amusing stories about some of the guests who come in from the rural districts. An aged couple came into the Moser and wanted a room. When informed that there was none, the woman turned to the man and snapped out:

"It serves us right. We will have to walk the streets tonight."

When asked for an explanation, the man said that they had arrived that morning and paid for a room at some house in advance for the week. He said they forgot to take the number and street and had looked for three hours for the house and then given it up. They had not the slightest idea where the place was.

A man from Arkansas told the housekeeper at the Moser that he was going out and might not be back for supper, but she need not wait for him.

Another man came into the St. James and, seeing an advertisement on the blotter in the register headed, "A friend in need is a friend indeed," asked for the address.

"That's the man I've been looking for," he said. "I was robbed last night, and I want to borrow money to get home on."

A man at the Rozier apologized to the night clerk for keeping him up until 11 o'clock. He said he hadn't noticed how late it was.

A well dressed man at the St. Nicholas told the clerk that there was no oil in his lamp. It wouldn't light. A bell boy went up and turned on the incandescent and told the guest that he had forgotten to turn up the wick. He acknowledged that he had.

A man and woman were registering at the Moser when a hackman came and asked them for his money for hauling them up from the Union station.

"Why, you ain't going to charge us, are you?" asked the man.

"Sure," cried the hackman.

"Didn't you ask us if we wanted to ride?" demanded the man.

The hackman said he had.

"Well, then," exclaimed the man, "what do you want us to pay for?"

The clerk explained matters and the visitor to the city paid the bill. He remarked that that was the first time he had ever known of any one being invited to ride and then asked to pay for it. — St. Louis Republic.

NO POLICEMEN NEEDED.

Only Two Thefts in Iceland in a Thousand Years.

In Iceland there are no prisons, and the inhabitants are so honest in their habits that such defenses to property as locks, bolts and bars are not required, nor are there any police in the island. Yet its history for 1,000 years records no more than two thefts. Of these two cases one was that of a native, who was detected after stealing several sheep, but as he had done so to supply his family, who were suffering for want of food, when he had broken his arm, provisions were furnished to them and work was found for him when able to do it, and meanwhile he was placed under medical care, but the stigma attached to his crime was considered sufficient punishment.

The other theft was by a German, who stole 17 sheep.

But as he was in comfortable circumstances and the robbery was malicious the sentence passed upon him was that he should sell all his property, restore the value of what he had stolen and then leave the country or be executed, and he left at once. But though crime is rare in Iceland and its inhabitants are distinguished for honesty and purity of morals there is, of course, provision for the administration of justice, which consists, first of all, in the sheriff's courts; next, by appeals to the court of three judges at Reykjavik, the capital, and lastly in all criminal and most civil cases to the supreme court at Copenhagen, the capital of Denmark, of which kingdom the island forms a part. The island of Pannar, one of the Lipari group, is equally fortunate in having neither prisons nor lawyers and being absolutely destitute of both paupers and criminals. — Boston Transcript.

Vermont Dr. Bodloe.

Among the accomplishments of Dr. Edward Bodloe of Philadelphia, the American consul at Canton, China, is remarkable skill in mimicry. He can imitate with his voice the accent and mannerisms of speech of all the leading actors and orators as well as a number of musical instruments. His imitations of the twanging of a banjo are exceedingly accurate. Some years ago Dr. Bodloe was in a room at the Press club when several guests were being entertained in an adjoining apartment. He had been with the party, but had excused himself on the plea that he wanted to get his banjo. He proceeded to "play" a medley and did the imitation so well that the guests would not believe he had not actually performed on an instrument until he repeated the imitation in their presence. He is, moreover, a witty and brilliant conversationalist and a most entertaining raconteur. He has a wonderful memory and has never been known to tell the same story twice. — Philadelphia Press.

A Little Left.

"All is over between us," said the young man who had found a richer girl and was trying to take leave of his old love.

"You are mistaken," replied she.

"All is not over. In fact, my breach of promise suit has not yet begun."

He postponed the transfer of his affections. — London Fun.

High Liver.

Do I—I should think the man in the moon would have the goat.

De I.—Why?

De I.—Because he lives so high. — Detroit Free Press.

CRYING AS A SAFETY VALVE.

Scientific Declaration That "a Good Cry" Is Beneficial.

The Hospital declares that the popular belief that "a good cry" gives at times a salutary relief has a good scientific foundation. A writer on that subject says:

"Crying is so commonly associated with distress that man's natural instinct is to put a stop to it as soon as possible. We should not forget, however, that it has its uses. Dr. Harry Campbell has recently shown how complex are the phenomena involved in 'a good cry.' This does not consist merely in the shedding of tears, but includes so general and widespread an action of the muscles that the whole body may be convulsed. In children also a great change takes place during crying in the manner in which the respiration is carried on. Expirations are prolonged sometimes for as much as half a minute and are interrupted by short inspirations. During expiration the glottis is contracted so that the intrapulmonary pressure rises considerably, and there can be but little doubt that it is the equal distribution of this increased air pressure throughout the whole of the chest, leading to the dilatation of portions of the lungs that have become more or less collapsed, that is the explanation of the great benefit which often results from crying in cases of infantile bronchitis and of the large discharge of bronchial mucus which so often follows. Children may become very blue during the paroxysm, but the deep respirations which succeed quickly restore the circulation to a better condition than before in consequence of the larger lung space rendered available. In women the beneficial effect of a good cry is proverbial. In them also this is partly due to the increased depth of respiration and the improvement in the often languid circulation thereby induced, but to a large extent it is the result of the muscular exercise involved, by which the general vascular tension, and especially the blood pressure in the brain, are much reduced. The profuse flow of tears no doubt also acts strongly on the cerebral circulation in still further reducing tension. The sobbing movements, again, have a good influence upon the venous circulation in the abdominal and pelvic viscera, while the exhaustion produced tends to produce sleep and thus to give the nervous system its best chance of recuperation. We should not, then, too hastily intervene to stop a woman from having out her cry. If we can remove her trouble, by all means let us do so, but if the trouble is to remain, let her cry herself to sleep. This is far better than soothing drafts."

AN AFRICAN POISON STORY.

Strange Phenomenon Witnessed in the Northeast of the Dark Continent.

Charles M. Stern of Chicago, who returned to this city after a journey through northeast Africa, told of a curious meteorological phenomenon which he observed in a district called Gwallah. "The vegetation in that region is very luxuriant," said he, "and the plant life must give off an unusually large quantity of carbonic acid gas. At least that was the conclusion I reached after seeing three natives die and four or five dogs."

"The moment the animals put their noses close to the ground they would fall over and gasp and die in about five minutes. The natives who died slept on the ground instead of in hammocks, as others did. I saw hundreds of dead birds. My theory is that a stratum of the deadly gas covered the ground for a depth of three or four inches, and any living thing breathing in that area would be asphyxiated."

"I could not understand, however, how the gas was not distributed in a thinner layer and what kept it in one place for a whole day. Nothing like it had ever been known there before. The deaths of the men and the dogs all occurred within 24 hours. Then the gas, if it was really gas, seemed to dissipate. It was a very strange occurrence, and I might have been induced to make a more exhaustive investigation if my presence had not excited distrust. I got away as quickly as possible rather than be accused of being the cause of the sudden deaths. The natives are superstitious and attribute most of their misfortunes to witchcraft, so I thought it the part of wisdom to get away." — New York Mail and Express.

To Keep Paris Clean.

To do this work and to remove the 2,500 cubic meters of rubbish there are 149 brigades of sweepers, numbering 3,345, in conjunction with 550 rubbish carts and 1,675 horses.

From before dawn till long after sunset one sees in Paris the street cleaners in their peaked caps and watermen's boots or sabots hard at their work of sweeping, swabbing or watering. Each hour of the day brings its particular work for them. From 4 to 6:30 a. m. they have to wash and sweep the pavements and streets, and in winter cast gravel on the asphalt (315,470 meters) and wood paving (368,300 meters) of the city. From 6:30 till 8:30 four of them and a woman sweepster accompany the scavenger's dust cart to clear away from the dust bins the refuse which the chiffonniers have discarded. From 8:30 to 11 they are again at work sweeping, cleaning, watering and flushing the gutters, till these almost assume the form of little mountain torrents. From 11 till 1 they leave off for déjeuner, and then they are hard at work again cleaning streets and benches, and in winter, from 7 till 9 p. m., it is their duty once more to throw gravel over the wood and asphalt pavements. — Good Words.

An Instance.

"More knowledge," said the young man, "is of little value."

"Now you hit it that time," said the listening young man with much earnestness. "I know what are exactly the correct things in clothes, but I ain't able to buy 'em." — Cincinnati Enquirer.

NERVOUS BREAKDOWN!!

It Comes to the Preacher from Over Sea and Brain Tire—It Comes to Any Person, too, who Worries and Frets.

From the Huron Tribune, Red Ann, Mich.

A "breaking down of the nervous system" is a modern expression—a modern complaint. It is induced by prolonged strain and the overtaxing of the nervous system, and is a product of over hurry and haste. It affects the preacher and the lawyer—the direct result of brain tire. It affects people in any walk of life, too, who worry and fret. It means a depicting of the nerve force.

It is curable by complete rest and change of scene, also by the use of nerve restoratives and nerve food. As the first method is not within the reach of all, the latter offers the most universal and practical method of treating the complaint. When it is determined that medicine is to be used, select that one which contains the most nerve-nourishing properties. Do not take nerve-tonics. They only stimulate, and the reaction leaves you worse than you were before. Select the medicine that is to the nerves what meat is to the body—one that as it builds up the nerves, also increases your weight. The best thing for the purpose is Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, the reputation of which is built up by solid and indisputable proof, and which is known in every hamlet in the country.

As a proof of its merits in such cases, read the following letter of a clergyman:

Dr. WILLIAMS' MED. CO.,

Shenandoah, N. Y.

Dear Sir:—In April, 1896, I was a hopeful case, owing to a complete breaking down of my nervous system and to a persistent stomach trouble. I had been treated by a great many physicians but received no permanent benefit. I had been down four times with nervous prostration and twice with gastritis. These attacks would come with such violence as to throw me into spasms. The time came when physicians said I must stop preaching or die. I would be so exhausted after the last service on Sunday that I could scarcely get from the pulpit. Many a time I have had to sit down and rest before I could leave the church in order to gain a little strength. I could eat neither

meat nor vegetables. I dared not allow my bare feet to touch the cold carpet or floor, to my looking of taking a cold bath. If I did I was immediately seized with cramps. In this condition I commenced to take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. I took one box and felt no better—in fact worse. I said I would take no more, but my wife urged the matter, saying my life depended on it. I would use every thing else had failed, and I was "used up." I therefore continued to take them. Since then, and it has been several months, I have had but one slight attack and I am enjoying life. Have preached all summer and held revival meetings for fifteen weeks. During that time my wife was sick several weeks, so that my rest was much broken. Some nights I did not sleep at all. I have had no muscular exertion for years until recently, when I have done some work in my garden, and my muscles stand the test remarkably well. I can eat any thing I desire, and can now enjoy a cold bath daily. Every Sabbath I preach three times, and now think I am good for another twenty years, if the Lord will. I am surprised at myself and sometimes think it cannot be possible that I have accomplished what I have.

(Signed) "Rev. J. N. McCready, Huron, Mich."

Fied attached, the affidavit of Mr. McCready, made before a notary public.

STATE OF MICHIGAN,

COUNTY OF TUSCULOA,

J. N. McCready, being duly sworn, says that the above and foregoing statements made by him are true. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd day of July, 1897.

J. D. BROOKS, Notary Public.

All the elements necessary to give new life and richness to the blood and restore shattered nerves are contained in a condensed form, in Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. They are for sale by all druggists, or may be had by mail from Dr. Williams' Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y., for 50 cents a box, or six boxes for \$2.50.



"I was for a long time troubled with indigestion until told by my druggist that many cures he had heard of by the use of

Ripans Tabules

I bought a box of them and found they were all that was claimed for them, and since that time have never been without them. I would often wake up at night with pains as if there was a ton of coal on my stomach, but the Tabules now remove that feeling without delay."

Brazilian Balm

THE GREAT SOUTH AMERICAN Balm

...CURES...

Coughs, Colds, Croup & Croup

LIKE MAGIC

RADICALLY CURES

CATARRH!

It clears the head of foul mucous; heals the sores and ulcers of the head and throat; sweetens the breath, and perfectly restores the senses of the taste, smell and hearing. Stops headache and drooping into the throat. Also destroys the germ which causes

HAY FEVER.

making a perfect cure in a few days. Never fails! No fatal case of LA GRIPPE ever known, where Brazilian Balm was faithfully used. It destroys the gripple germ and quickly removes all the after bad effect.

INFALLIBLE IN ASTHMA, CROUP, BRONCHITIS, PLEURISY, PNEUMONIA, DYSPNOEA, RHEUMATISM, TYPHOID AND SCARLET FEVER, MEASLES, and any disease where there is inflammation, Fever or Congestion. Greatest relief in Consumption ever discovered.

Cures a Fresh Cold in one day.—It kills germs in 3 minutes. Stops itching in the head and relieves deafness. Anan injects invaluable in female troubles. For outward use heals Cuts, Sores and Burns like magic. It vents lock-jaw from wounds. QUICK CURE FOR CONSTIPATION AND PILES.

Its Healing Power is Almost Miraculous. The Best Family Medicine in Existence.

60 Cent Bottle contains 100 Doses, or Two Weeks Treatment for Catarrh.

\$1.00 BOTTLE EQUALS THREE 50c. BOTTLES.

HOME TESTIMONIALS:

"Brazilian Balm cured me of inveterate catarrh which I had for over 20 years. It is the most wonderful triumph of medical science."—Gen. J. Parks Butler.

"Croup, cold and the worst form of gripple we have found Brazilian Balm invaluable."—Jas. W. S. Booth, D. D., Pastor Del. Ave. Bap. Ch.

"Mrs. Lore has used the Brazilian Balm and thinks it did her much good."—Hon. Chas. E. Lore, Chief Justice of Del.

"One bottle of Brazilian Balm cured a friend of mine of hay fever."—Thos. M. Culbert.

"I was very deaf for 10 years from catarrh. Brazilian Balm applied warm in my ears every day soon restored my hearing."—Mrs. John Scales, Chester, Pa.

"It is the best thing for dyspepsia I ever saw tried."—Judge Edward Woodlee.

"I was worn almost to the grave with a rocking cough that all the remedies and the doctors failed to relieve. It was cured with one bottle of Brazilian Balm. It should be my doctor through life."—Mrs. J. Galloway, Pittsboro, Pa.

"I was crippled up with rheumatism; could not get my hand to my head. I took several bottles of Brazilian Balm in six months. Am now entirely cured and am able as I was at forty."—Anson Burrill, aged 74. A lady in Cincinnati was afflicted with asthma that during the winter for seventeen years she was unable to sleep lying down, was entirely and permanently cured with Brazilian Balm.

SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS AND DEALERS.

R. F. JACKSON & CO., Indianapolis, Ind.

We Need Room

FOR THE

GREAT HOLIDAY BUSINESS

AT

Metellus

Thomson's

New Store.

Have a Pretty Hat!



The crown of your hat often with the hat you wear. Our hats are "becoming." They heighten the beauty of the face. This week to make room for Holiday Goods we will continue to offer all trimmed Hats in our Millinery Department at

One Half Price!

Dress Goods!

Fine French Novelties.

Seems like we're dressing every woman in Lima. Counters always crowded. Stock deserves its success—great. Yet prices are small; these are the latest we can.

38 inch Novelty Suiting—unmistakable below 75 cents, yet they're here in fifteen distinct combinations at

59 cents.

Beautiful and attractive French Novelties. 40 and 50 inch French Novelty Dress Goods; you can't get it elsewhere—yes, at \$1.00, our price this week.

75 cents.

All wool and silk mixed Dress Goods, ten distinct lines of \$1.25 qualities this week for

98 cent.

—AT—

Metellus

Thomson

Dry Goods Company's New Store,

233-235 North Main Street.

TOOK MORPHINE.

D. C. Henderson Thought He was Taking Quinine.

ALMOST A FATAL MISTAKE.

Mrs. Henderson Could Not Awaken Him and Called Four Physicians, Who Worked With the Sleeper for Several Hours.

Mr. D. C. Henderson by mistake took morphine tablets Saturday night instead of quinine tablets, and came very nearly dying from the effects that the sleep producing drug had upon his body. Saturday Mr. Henderson had been suffering from a severe cold and was very ill. He went to bed early Saturday evening, but could not rest easy, and about 2 o'clock in the morning he arose from his bed and went over to the dresser to get some quinine tablets which he had placed on the top of the dresser before retiring. The lights in the room were not burning but the electric light in the street partially lighted the room. He had forgotten about some other medicine laying on the dresser, and being slightly confused, picked up four of the tablets and swallowed them, believing them to be quinine. The tablets which he swallowed each contained 1-8 grain of morphine, 1-4 grain of extract of cannabine indica, 1-800 grains of nitro-glycerine and 1 grain of extract of hyocyanus. He went to bed again, and after a few minutes was sleeping soundly.

When Mrs. Henderson arose in the morning she observed her husband resting in apparent ease and decided to let him remain so. After breakfast she went to church and when she returned home again she saw Mr. Henderson still lying in the same position. She feared something was wrong with him and attempted to awaken him but was unsuccessful. It was soon discovered that Mr. Henderson had taken the wrong medicine. Drs. Burton and Herrmann were also called and after considerable effort he revived about three o'clock in the afternoon. He was believed to be out of danger and a short time after reviving went to sleep again. About 6 o'clock his condition became worse. His breathing was very slow and difficult, and for a time it was feared he could not live. The physicians worked with him until 9 o'clock last evening, when he became better. To-day he is resting easy and out of danger.

PLENTY OF NEWS

Always in the Times-Democrat—Local News on the Third Page.

THE TIMES-DEMOCRAT always gives its readers all the news. The public appreciates and realizes this fact as is shown by our subscription lists. Considerable local news will be found on the third page of this issue. For all the news at all times read the TIMES-DEMOCRAT.

DIED AT TOLEDO.

Joe Hopper Receives Sad Intelligence of the Death of His Wife.

Foreman Joseph Hopper, of the boiler-making department at the Lima Machine Works, received a telegram from Toledo last evening announcing the death of his wife, who was taken recently to the Toledo asylum for treatment. Her illness, which caused her to become demented, proved fatal, however, death resulting yesterday.

Mr. Hopper and Charles Eckert, assistant to J. E. Grojean, went to Toledo last night to bring the remains to this city. The remains will be taken to the home of Mrs. Catherine Cook, at 228 north Union street, arrangements for the funeral service, have not been completed.

The Cooking School

to be held in the Y. M. C. A. building commenced this afternoon and will continue each afternoon during the week. The hours are from 3 to 5 o'clock.

The Bath Township

Bimetallic Club will meet at Township House, Tuesday evening, Nov. 30, 1897, at which time Hon. Chas. H. Adkies, and other prominent speakers, will be present.

H. H. BOUSER, Pres.

RUG SALE TO-MORROW.

See the beautiful rugs Carroll & Cooney will sell to-morrow for 98c.

Robert W. Thirt

has opened a law office in the room formerly occupied by the Doctors Steiner, in the Wise building, old post office block.

Business & Cameras for watches, clocks, jewelry and precious stones.

TEN PRISONERS

Arraigned Before Judge Richie this Morning.

SEVEN PLEAD NOT GUILTY.

All Remanded to Jail in Default of Bail—Accusant Asks Judgment Against Citizens of Ottawa—Assignments for Next Week.

Ten prisoners who are under indictment were arraigned before Judge Richie this morning and three of them entered a plea of not guilty. James Maywhor, John Meade, Gideon Allen and Emanuel Carman were the first four brought into the room by sheriff Fisher. The first three were charged with stealing 125 chickens valued at \$25 from Benjamin Brennehan, Maywhor and Meade pleaded guilty to the indictment and Allen entered a plea of not guilty. He was unable to give a bond of \$500 and also asked the court for an attorney.

Emanuel Carman was charged with having forged the names of Adam Stirn and Martin Stirn to a promissory note of \$17.50 and pleaded guilty. Ed Sherfe entered a plea of not guilty to picking the pocket of Chas. Nahu July 27, 1897. He was unable to give bond for \$600 and was remanded to jail.

William Welster was charged with having assaulted and ravished Paerl Pettigrew and entered a plea of not guilty. His bond was placed at \$700 which he was not able to give.

George Shriver was arraigned for having picked the pocket of Thos. H. Graham September 25, 1897, and pleaded not guilty to the charge. He also was unable to give a bond of \$700 for his appearance and was returned to jail.

Chas. Clark, alias "Windy" Clark, entered a plea of not guilty to having broken into and robbed the Walther tailor shop of \$350 worth of cloth. He was unable to give bond in the sum of \$1,000 and was doubtful whether he would be able to employ an attorney. J. J. Ferrall defended him in his preliminary hearing.

Benjamin Watson was arraigned for having assaulted Minnie Emick with the intention to commit rape, and declared himself innocent of the crime as charged. He informed the court that his name was not Benjamin Watson, but William Warren Watson. He was remanded to jail in default of \$500 bond. Jason Lamson is his attorney.

TWO APPEAL SUITS.

Judge Richie heard two cases to-day, both being appeal suits. The first was that of Cornelius Parmenter vs Philip Kall, a suit for commission on loans.

The second case was that of John F. Knorr and the Balloon and Parachute Co., of Lima, against Robert Bell, Robert J. McOwen and W. H. Harper, of Ottawa. The suit is brought to obtain judgment for \$75 and costs. The plaintiff claims that they had a contract to make a balloon ascension at the celebration at Ottawa on July 3rd, 1897. The defendants claim that by agreement the ascension was to have been made between the hours of 5 and 6 o'clock in the evening, but that contrary to the agreement the ascension was made at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, when the people were at the fair grounds and unable to witness it. The defendants also say that they did not act for themselves in making the contract, but for the citizens of Ottawa. The case was tried before Justice Mowen and judgment found as asked for by the plaintiff, and was taken to the common pleas court on appeal.

NEW SUITS.

S. W. Funk petitioned for a foreclosure of a mechanics' lien for \$95 and interest from Aug 17th, 1897, against J. O. Gault and the Board of Education of Lima.

T. N. Weadock vs. C. E. Hurst; appeal.

SHERIFF'S SALE

Twenty-six acres in Jackson town.

Continued on Third Page.

National Apron Sale

At the Congregational Church Tuesday evening. Aprons to suit every taste and purse. Every state and territory in the union represented; a few aprons from foreign lands.

RUG SALE TO-MORROW.

See the beautiful rugs Carroll & Cooney will sell to-morrow for 98c.

Notice.

The Union barber shops of Lima will all close their shops at noon on Thanksgiving day, Thursday, November 25th.

If the Domestic of Lima

wish to form a class for the cooking school to be held in the evenings at the Y. M. C. A., from 8 to 10 o'clock, they can do so by applying to Mrs. S. W. Van Cleave.

Call New Phone

For the only place to store goods—the city storage house. All goods packed and stored separately.

WILL INJURE LIMA

If the Big Coke Shipments are Transferred.

THE USE OF AIR BRAKES.

L. E. & W. Employees to be Thoroughly Instructed in the Science—Coal Rates and the D. & L. N.—Other Local Railroad News.

By a recent agreement of the Ohio Coal Traffic Association, says the Toledo Bee, a general scaling down of coal transportation rates will become effective Tuesday, November 23. The cut, it is said, will be from 10 to 20 cents, and will effect the territory extending west along the Lake Shore as far as Elkhart, also southern and central Michigan and the Detroit district. This cut, it is claimed, is indirectly the outcome of alleged rate cutting by the Detroit & Lima Northern.

The action of the Ohio Coal Traffic Association as mentioned in the above clipping will doubtless effect the coal traffic of the D. & L. N., and unless the latter road holds forth some inducement to shippers to overcome that enacted under the above ruling it may effect it seriously. The coal traffic is at present the bulk of the D. & L. N. company's business, and if the other coal roads accomplish what they desire by the cut in rates, the D. & L. N. will have but little patronage left in traffic from the Ohio coal fields.

CENTRAL TRAFFIC ASSOCIATION.

The Central Traffic Association of Railroad Officers held its monthly meeting in Toledo yesterday. The following railroad officials were present: D. S. Sutherland, of Detroit, superintendent of the Michigan Central; O. B. Adams, of St. Louis, general car agent of the Wabash; M. S. Connors, of Columbus, superintendent of the Hooking Valley; S. B. Floeter, of Lima, superintendent of the O. & E. & D.; W. F. Bradley, of Durand, superintendent of the Ann Arbor.

HAD YEAR FOR ACCIDENTS.

The November issue of the Railroad Telegrapher, the official organ of the O. E. T., says: "This has been a bad year for railroad accidents, and the worst feature of it all is that a great number of them is due to inefficiency in the telegraph department. While railroad officials continue to show a disinclination to employ responsible, experienced telegraphers this kind of thing is likely to continue."

LEAVE THE L. E. & W.

Saturday brakeman Joe Garee, who has been in the service of the L. E. & W. for several years, braking for conductor O. E. Jeffries, resigned his position and to-day went into the service of the D. & L. N. Brakeman Ed Huber has also left the service of the L. E. & W. and will accept a position on the M. K. & T.

USE OF AIR ON THE L. E. & W.

At the L. E. & W. shops on the south side a passenger coach is being equipped for service in conducting an extensive school for the teaching of employees in the proper use of air brakes and the care in handling the appliances used in air brake equipments. The inter-state commerce law requiring the equipment of all railroad rolling stock with air brakes necessitates the efficiency of railroad employees who will operate these equipment after they are completed. When finished the L. E. & W. car will contain a complete equipment similar to that of a locomotive and an entire train controlled by air brakes. An expert in the handling of air pumps and other appliances connected therewith will be placed in charge of the car, together with a practical and efficient machinist and will be sent over the entire L. E. & W. system. The employees in the train service will be given thorough instructions in the use of the equipment and later will be examined upon their ability to make proper use of air brake equipments and their efficiency will be as necessary as in examinations of their eyesight, hearing and other physical liabilities. The L. E. & W. is never behind in the physical progress of the railroad world.

ANOTHER CREW NEEDED.

The amount of east bound shipments which the L. E. & W. has been transferring to the O. & E. here for the past several weeks, instead of being hauled farther east by the former road, has necessitated the employment of an additional switch engine and crew at this place. The company furnished an engine and crew to work half time, but the crew returned to Huntington Saturday and requested to be put on full time, as the expense of their families at Huntington and themselves here is likely to exceed half time compensation. Two years ago the company worked five switching crews at this place and since three of them were taken off more than two have been needed at various times.

MORE GOLD STANDARD PROSPERITY.

The employees of the L. E. & W. shops are enjoying some more of the kind of "prosperity" that is hinted in

Continued on Third Page

Dr. James Hedley, Nov. 30, Star Column.

A GREAT SURPRISE.

Farmer Boy Arrested Saturday by Detective Blaize.

CHARGED WITH KILLING

Another Farmer Boy Near Cloverdale, Last January—Mr. Blaize Does Some Excellent Work in Securing Evidence.

Detective Blaize, of this city, Saturday evening made an important arrest at Ottawa, for which he certainly deserves much credit. About one year ago Chas. Piche, a young farmer boy 19 years old was found dead in a corn field with a small bullet hole in the back part of his head. It was believed that he had been murdered, and Henry Gladden, another farmer boy living on a farm adjacent to the dead boy's father's farm, was arrested, but the evidence was not sufficient to bind him over to the grand jury. All efforts of the Putnam county officers to discover who shot the boy, proved fruitless. The county commissioners offered a reward of \$300 for the arrest and conviction of the murderer. The latter part of September detective Blaize began to investigate the case and soon found sufficient evidence to warrant the arrest of young Gladden. He found a witness who was near when the killing occurred and saw young Gladden with a gun. It was thought best not to arrest the boy until just prior to the meeting of the grand jury at Ottawa, which meets to-day. Friday detective Blaize drove to Ottawa and from there to Cloverdale. There he learned that the boy was working on a farm in Paulding county. The boy was arrested, brought to Ottawa, given a preliminary hearing before mayor Long and bound over to the grand jury. He was defended by attorney Watts. The murder was one that created a great sensation and Mr. Blaize is praised very highly for his excellent work in securing sufficient evidence to warrant the arrest and detention of the boy.

O. F. Bryan

Having dissolved partnership with M. L. Becker, has moved his law office to room No. 6 in Holmes' block 23 1/2

Chas. Tucker Repairs

All kinds of watches and jewelry at Vorkamp's drug store. 23 1/2

HORSE THIEVES

Are Operating Too Frequently About Lima.

THE SEVERAL CAPTURES

That Have Been Made Seem to Have no Effect—More Car Works Took Unearthed Yesterday—Other Police News.

Ex-conductor A. M. Johnson and his brother-in-law, Joe Allison, met with their first misfortune in their new venture, the livery business, Saturday, when they lost one of their best rigs. Saturday morning about 6:30 o'clock, a man who gave his name as McKivney, and claiming to be engaged in the livery business at Delphos, appeared at Johnson & Allison's barn on east Kibby street, and hired a horse and rig. He stated that he only wanted to go a couple of miles into the country and would return in two hours or by noon at the latest. He drove away and neither he nor the rig have yet returned. The missing animal is a light bay Kentucky mare, with right ear split, right hind foot white and a scar two and a half inches long on left hind foot. The mare will weigh about 950 pounds. The missing buggy is a black piano box vehicle of Columbus make.

Mr. Allison left this morning for Kenton and Bellefontaine, in the hope of getting some trace of the missing rig.

MORE CAR WORKS TOOLS.

Another lot of the tools that were stolen from employees in the erecting department at the car works on the south side, a week ago last night,

(Continued on Fourth Page.)

CARDS AND MUSIC.

Mr. and Mrs. Neese Entertain in Honor of Mr. Woodman.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. G. Neese, of 684 north Jackson street, entertained Saturday evening in honor of Mr. Geo. A. Woodman, who leaves to-day for Chicago, his future home. Cards and music were the main amusements of the evening. The music rendered by the mandolin club was very nice and enjoyed by all. Refreshments were served at a late hour, after which all departed for their homes, reporting having had a delightful time.

Children's Cloaks and Reefers.

After prospective buyers have compared our assortment and values with what can be had elsewhere, they invariably make their selections here. Some of the very daintiest creations in Cloaks are here at

\$2.50, \$2.98, \$3.50, \$3.98, \$4.50, and up to \$8.50, - - - - -

Consisting of Plain and Boucle Cloths, Cheeks, Plaids, &c., &c., neatly trimmed in Fur, or the popular Braid effects.

We Make This Week a Special Event for Cloaks. Cloak Buyers Should not Fail to Investigate.

LADIES'

Ready-to-Wear Waists!

Save time, bother and money by buying your Waists ready. Every garment we sell fits to perfection as only the best dressmakers can make them fit. You can buy a good Waist here at a surprisingly low price.

Nice Wool Flannel Waists in black, navy, grey, brown, garnet and green, at 98c and \$1.60.

Choice qualities Fancy Figured and Plaid Waists, at \$1.75, \$2.50, \$2.98, \$3.50 and \$3.98.

Braid trimmed, fine Cashmere Waists and Russian Blouse Waists, in navy, black, cardinal and green, at \$2.50 and \$2.98.

Excellent Corduroy Velvet Waists in navy, brown and cardinal, at \$3.98.

Extra qualities in black Silk Waists, very dressy, \$5.00, \$5.98 and \$7.50.

Fine Silk Waists in fancy colors, including the newest plaids, \$5.00 to \$7.50.

Feldmann & Co.
111 N. MAIN ST.